GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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SAARC SUMMIT STAND ON U.N. RESOLUTION
VUKKALA RAJESWARAMMA

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) countries have decided in Kathmandu Summit tc implement the U.N. Security Council resolution 1373 against terrorism;

(b) If so, whether the Government have taken any steps in this regard; and

(c) If so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH)

(a) Yes, Ma`am. At the Kathmandu Summit in January, 2002 SAARC Countries reiterated their support to the U.N. Security Counci Resolution 1373 of 28th September, 2001.

(b)&(c) India is fully supportive of United Nations Security Council Resolution 1373, and is committed to fulfilling its obligation.